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The Honorable Loretta A. Preska United States District Judge United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: <u>Lucas Ologbenla 1:19-cr-00291-LAP</u>

Dear Judge Preska,

I represent Mr. Ologbenla in the above referenced matter. I am respectfully requesting that Mr. Olgobenla's appearance be waived for the pre-trial conference scheduled for Friday, August 20, 2021, at 10:30AM. Additionally, I am respectfully requesting that I appear by telephone for the pre-trial conference. Thank you for your consideration.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/Daniel Zelenko

Daniel Zelenko

Counsel's request to waive Defendant's appearance is granted. Counsel may appear by telephone for the conference using the following teleconference information: 877-402-9753, Code: 6545179. SO ORDERED.

Lacetta a. Preska 8/16/2021